pect and whether the closure of Ba-roda HWP will have its impact on the entire production?

THE MNISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) The Heavy Water Plant at Ba-roda was shut down from 18.3.88 following a fire incident due to leak-age of synthesis gas an(j potassium amide from the cover flange of a high pressure equipment. This fire incident was not similar to the fire incident in 1977

(b) The various representations received from the employees union from time to time regarding, among other things, safety conditions of the Plant are duly examined.

(c) Yes Sir. The Report of the Commlittee has allready been submitted .

(d) The recommendations of the Committee are being considered for implementation.

(e) The capacities of the existing Heavy Water Plants are given below:

Heavy Water Plant,
Nangal ..... 14 MTjYear

Heavy Water Plant,
Barbda..... 45 MT|Year

Heavy Water Plant,
Tuticqrin ..... 49 MT|Year

Heavy Water Plant,
Ttelche(r..... 50 MT|Year

Heavy Water Plant,
Kota ..... 85 MT]Year

Heavy Water Plant,
Thai ..... 110 MTjYear

In addition the following two projects are under construction:

Heavy Water Plant,
Manuguru ..... 185 MTjYear

Heavy Water Plant,
Hazira..... 110 MT|Year

Since the shut.own of Heavy Water Plant, Baroda, is only for a short duration it wilfnave only marginal impact on the total production.

Tndia is self sufficient to meet the requirements of heavy water. Capacity will be augmented if necessary.

Training of Terrorists in Pakistan

1079. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI" DR. RATNAKAR BANDEY; SHRT MAHENDRA PRASAD:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether some fresh and irre-putable firm evidence has come to the notice of Government to the effect that Pakistan is actively involved in training of terrorists and pumping them in across international border with sophisticated arms;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) whether Government have taken up the matter with Pak Government directly and on international forums, if so, with what results?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI K. NATWAR SINGH): (a) and (b) Government have definite information about Pakistan's involvement with extremist activities directed against India which includes, inter aUa, giving training to extremist elements and supplying them with weapons.

(c) Government's concern has been expressed to the Government of Pakistan on several occasions. Unfortunately, in spite of assurances to the contrary, Pakistan's support to extremist elements has continued unabated .